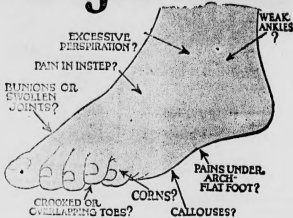


Do You Suffer from Painful Feet?



Foot Comfort Expert from Toronto will be here
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On the above date we will have at our store, through the courtesy of Dr. Wm. H. Scholl, famous foot authority, a Foot Comfort Expert from his own staff, sent here for the benefit of our patrons. We urge every foot sufferer to make the most of this unusual opportunity.

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Tests are being made of an English locomotive that condenses its own steam into water to be used over and over again in its boiler.

We want Eggs, cash or trade, pool or non-pool.

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A coffee, Mering and 1 lb. good coffee, all for.....58c.
No. 5 string broom, well made, for.....54c.
Lovely, lasting Ontario cheese, per lb.....35c.
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Cliff Meal, Chick Starter, Full O'Pep, etc.

Mr. Snell, Optician, of Red Deer, will visit our store every two weeks. Phone 42 for appointments. He is reliable.

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Flowers for Easter.

A splendid assortment of Easter lillies and Potted Plants for Easter at very reasonable prices. Call in and look them over at the Drug Store.

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ANOTHER WARNING TO TEST SEED

Further six days' tests made by the Dominion government seed branch at Calgary from samples collected of newly threshed wheat, confirms the opinion of the officials that a large proportion of the wheat will not be suitable for seed. It is therefore urged that farmers contemplating sowing such wheat for seed should test this immediately either at home or by sending a sample to the seed branch office. The test also applies to grain threshed last fall which was tough or damp at the time of threshing.

The Pioneer has been requested to point out, however, that the seed branch was exceedingly busy at the present time and could not give prompt service. All farmers therefore would be well advised to make the test at home, if possible. That could be done by selecting 100 kernels, taken at random, and placing them in soil in a flat pan or flower pot. This soil should be kept moist and the pan or flower pot kept in a warm room. A south window of a kitchen was very suitable for such testing. The seed after six days should show a strong germination. Seeds of any value should germinate in twelve days.

Sowed 472,369 Weed Seeds in One Acre

Startling conditions which have been revealed by tests of 1 pound samples of seed from seed drills in operation on Alberta farms during the survey of federal inspectors has proved the greatest spur to the campaign inaugurated with the present Good Seed Week.

Tests show that as high as 472,369 weed seeds per acre were sown by one farmer and that the average was 11,250 weeds appearing later in the season. It was also observed that in a number of cases the wheat that was mixed, conclusive proof that the kind of seed used is responsible for many of the late and early varieties, adding to the difficulty of harvesting profitably. Only about half of the grain sown had been cleaned or treated for smut.

Will See Some Fast Running on the Turf.

Considerable interest has been aroused in Wilbur among owners of real live horses by the announcement of the return of Mr. W. Barrell with three horses. One of these, we hear, is very fast and is said to run under the name of Graceful Edith. Doubts, however, have been expressed as to whether this is the real name of the mare or not, and some are inclined to view it as a dark horse.

Mr. Dave Sinclair is also creeping into the limelight with a recent purchase of three horses also. His horse "Nigger" is said to be in good form and will probably have a surprise in store this year for a good many.

Mr. Barrell's horse, Minnesota Patch, is coming along fast, his trainer, J. Dowson, giving him lots of work.

Another lover of a well-bred horse, Mr. Wignin, has a very good prospect, so that altogether some really good races should be witnessed on the track here this year.

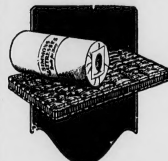
RUGBY NOTES.

On Friday, March 23rd, the Rugby C.U.C. held their closing night when they invited the Westerdale Athletic team over. A very exciting game was played between the two teams. The score was 15-8 in favour of the home team.

Considering the bad roads we were very pleased with the large crowd that turned out to support the Westerdale team. At the end of the ball game everybody was seated and a sumptuous bean sup



SWIFT'S PREMIUMS FOR EASTER.
Special Prices on Premiums, Side and Back Bacon, Smoked Hams, and Boneless Ham.
This is our Regular Easter Money-saver.



Bed-springs

Mattresses, - Couches, Watch for the latest Simonds' circular. Out in a few days

Just Arrived.

New shipment of the latest in Forsythe Shirts for Men.

In these shirts are all the latest shades and styles. They are beauties.

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STUDER'S

per which was served by the ladies of the Rugby district. Afterwards dancing was indulged in until the early hour. "The Frog Holler Orchestra" supplied the music for the evening.

On Monday evening, March 26th a surprise party was held in honor of Audrey and Percy Hoesgood's twenty-first birthday. A very enjoyable evening was spent in playing games and contests after which all sat down to a beautiful supper at which the tasty birthday cake was the centre of interest owing to its Kings and Buttons "Ask Alce and Harvey."

Audrey and Percy were each presented with a silk scarf as a token of remembrance. The evening closed by singing "For they are jolly good fellows."

On Thursday, March 29th the Rugby W.I. met at the home of Mrs. W. F. Brown. There were twelve members and one visitor present. The meeting was opened by singing "O Canada." A good deal of the time was spent in deciding what flowers and vegetables would be shown for the August Flower and Vegetable Show. A very interesting paper was read by Mrs. Barker on "Education and Better Schools." The meeting then closed by singing "God save the King." Afternoon tea was then served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held at Rugby School House on Thursday, May 3rd.

A new parachute square in shape has been designed for the use of aviators.

Formaldehyde Copper Carbonate

Seeding time is nearly here. Get your seed cleaned while there is still time. We carry a full stock of copper carbonate and formaldehyde etc. Get your supply now.

W. G. LIESEMER

Small Town Papers

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

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It was in the papers a little while ago that one of these modern novelists had bought a couple of country newspapers somewhere in West Virginia. He wanted something to make a living at, it said; which didn't sound exactly right to me.

I never read any of the gentleman's novels, but from the publicity he gets in the highbrow literary magazines every time he brings out a new one, anyone who didn't know much about the novel business would think the royalties must roll in so fast that the author would never have to do any real work—like running a country newspaper, for example. But the funny part was his idea that he could make a living out of a country weekly, or two of them.

I knew something about country weeklies. I started my journalistic life by cleaning the spittoons and rushing the growler for the editor and the printer, and inking the form on the Washington hand press with a big two-handed roller, while Charley Gleason pulled her over. When we had got the weekly run of ten quires off, two pages at a time, Wednesdays and Fridays, we knew we'd been working.

Yes, sir; between the time when I met my first type louse in the old Georgetown Courant shop over Ah Hen Jackson's Chinese laundry, and the time when I went to the city as a two-third to finish my trade, I learned all there was to know about country newspapers. I never worked on one of them after I got my union card, but there hasn't been a spell of bad weather in more than forty years that I haven't been reminded of the old shop; the stiff joint where I split my forefinger feeding dodgers on the brass-arm Gordon aches every time a rain starts to blow up. That stiff finger changed everything for me, in a way; it shunted me from the case to the proof box, which turned me out to be an entry to the editorial end. But that hasn't anything to do with country newspapers.

Where I got my big laugh out of that newspaper item about the novelist was remembering the way B. Franklin Simms, the editor of the Courant, had to hustle for cash every Wednesday morning to get the patent insides out of the express office. That took cash. Nobody ever heard of an editor having credit. He had to give plenty, though. Subscribers paid up when they felt like it or not at all. Often as not they would pay in kind—garden truck, cordwood or eggs—and sometimes advertisers did the same. Advertisers could always stand the editor off by threatening to pull out of the paper. There was only so much business to be had, and they would get it anyway, so they were merely doing the editor a favor by advertising at all.

I remembered the time when old Otto Muncaster, who ran the lumberyard, settled a three months' advertising bill with six barrels of lime, and a few other incidents of that sort, and I felt sort of sorry for the poor fish who had let somebody unload a couple of country papers on him. Not one paper, mind you; that would have been bad enough, but the piece in the papers said he had had two wished on him! If he just wanted experience, something to use for material for more novels, that might be a good way to get it, but to make a living—well, it just didn't fit with all I knew about country weeklies.

Then I ran into Bert Mills—literally ran into him in the crowd at Forty-second and Fifth Avenue, by the library. I hadn't seen or heard anything of him for twenty years; not since he quit his job on the copy desk of the old Globe. I remembered hearing at the time that his father had died and he had gone back upstate to settle the family affairs, but that was the last anybody around New York had heard so far as I knew.

I wouldn't have known him if he hadn't spotted me first. It took only a glance to assure me that he had been successful. It wasn't only his clothes; they were what any business man might wear. It was his way of looking at you and speaking to you, the air of a man accustomed to direct dealing with all sorts of people. He was glad to see me and I was just as glad to see him.

"Still in the newspaper game, old timer?" he asked, after we had pump-handled a while. I told him no, I'd been out of it for a good many years.

"I've sort o' tired, too," said Bert. "Play a little golf, do a little fishing, go down to Florida for a couple of months in the winter, run around to

conventions a good deal, just to see the fellows I know."

Bert must have inherited more than I'd thought, it seemed. Before I could ask him what he had been doing all these years, he was rattling on about his folks.

"Remember Sarah—Mrs. Mills?" he asked. "Gee, I wish we'd met a few minutes sooner; she'd have been glad to see you. I just left her at one of the big stores. She comes down every little while to shop."

I did remember Bert's wife—an anaemic, dragged-out, tired-looking little woman, with a bolsterous kid hanging to each hand. I had had dinner with them once in a cheap little flat out Flatbush way. Even twenty years ago it was hard sledding in New York for a man with a family on forty a week.

"You wouldn't know her now," Bert went on. "I was afraid, first, she wasn't going to like it in a small town. She was born and raised in Brooklyn, you know, and Brooklyn people hate to change. But nobody in Middleboro now ever thinks of her as an outsider. They even tried to get her to run for Assembly last year. She's the politician of the family—headed right now for the president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs."

He'd put both his boys through Cornell, he told me, and had a girl, too, who was a junior at Syracuse. One of his boys was married and he even had a pair of grandchildren.

And while he talked I racked my memory to try to locate Middleboro. It must be an important town, but somehow I couldn't place it.

"You haven't told me the most important thing of all, Bert," I said when he had finished about his family. "What I'd like to know is where did you get it? I had an idea your folks were farmers."

(To Be Continued.)

NO BETTER MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Is What Thousands Of Mothers Say Of Baby's Own Tablets

A medicine for the baby or growing child—one that the mother can feel assured is absolutely safe as well as efficient—is found in Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are praised by thousands of mothers throughout the country. These mothers have found by actual experience that there is no other medicine for little ones to equal them. Once a mother has used them for her children she will use nothing else. Concerning them Mrs. Charles Hutt, Tanook Island, N.S., writes: "I have ten children, the baby being just six months old. I have used Baby's Own Tablets for them for the past 20 years and can truthfully say that I know of no better medicine for little ones. I always keep a box of the Tablets in the house and would advise all other mothers to do so."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be mailed upon receipt of price, 25 cents per box, by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Livestock In Prairie Provinces

The value of livestock on farms in the Prairie Provinces, comprising horses, cattle, sheep and swine, in 1927, was \$324,949,000, as compared with \$263,359,000 in the previous year, all three provinces recording substantial increases. The value of poultry on farms in the three Prairie Provinces was \$15,915,000.

The block of metal which is the world's standard pound avoirdupois is kept in London.

Keep Minard's Liniment handy.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

APRIL 8

THE RESURRECTION

Golden Text: "Because I live, ye shall live also."—John 14:19.

Lesson: Mark 16:1-20.

Devotional Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26.

Explanations and Comments

Three Women Visit the Tomb Of Christ, verses 1-4.—Very early on Sunday morning, just as the sun was rising, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome went to the tomb of Christ for the purpose of anointing his body with spices.

As these women went on their way to the tomb they kept asking themselves, "Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the tomb?" The stone probably a cylindrical one which could be rolled to either side in a groove at the base of the opening, but was too heavy for the women themselves to move, being "exceeding great." As they approached, they saw that the stone had been rolled back.

The Lord Is Risen, verses 4-8.—While Mary Magdalene ran to tell Peter and John that the stone was removed, the other woman entered the tomb and saw a young man arrayed in a white robe (an angel) sitting within. Luke 24:4 speaks of two men, and in Matthew 28 an angel is sitting upon the stone without the tomb, but, as the One Volume Commentary observes, "Such slight discrepancies harmonize well with the excited feelings which such a vision would be likely to produce. Minute and detailed agreement in independent narratives under such circumstances would be suspicious."

The young man in the tomb said to the women, "Be not amazed; ye seek Jesus, the Nazarene, who hath been crucified; He is risen; He is not here."

"Instead of its being surprising that there was a resurrection on Easter morning, let us ask ourselves if it would not have been more surprising if there had been no resurrection. Would it not have been indeed amazing if the life in Christ had come to a full stop on the day of the crucifixion? Of course, if that life had come to such a stop, we should never have heard of the life at all; but how amazing to think that a life like Jesus' could stop! Peter had the right angle from which to view the Resurrection when he declared that it was impossible for death to hold Christ."

—F. J. McConnell.

Should Spend At Home

Seventy dollars per head was spent by Canadians last year on United States goods. A considerable percentage of this amount could be spent on just as good goods produced at home. Some day there will be more practical patriotism by Canadian purchasers to bring prosperity to themselves and their own country.

A hammock is the spoonholder used at many a love feast.

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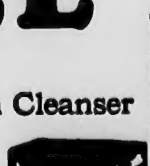
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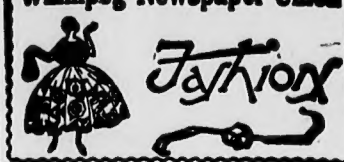
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Practical Apron

An apron that entirely covers the skirt is made with bib section at front and back. Note the large, roomy pockets! It is practical and very attractive, made of English broadcloth, printed sateen in small floral pattern, cretonne in chintz pattern, and Nile green chambray with pockets and binding of checked gingham. The pattern is cut in small, medium and large sizes. The medium size requires 2 1/4 yards 32-inch, 2 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 2 3/4 yards 40-inch material, and 4 yards binding. Price 25 cents the pattern.

Many styles of smart apparel may be found in our Fashion Book. Our designers originate their patterns in the heart of the style centers, and their creations are those of tested popularity, brought within the means of the average woman. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

How To Order Patterns

Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

The highest chimney in Great Britain is to be demolished. It is "Townsend Stalk," in Glasgow, containing 1,300,000 bricks and standing 488 feet high.

Minard's Liniment for cuts and bruises.

Average Wheat Production

Average Production Over Five Year Period In Three Prairie Provinces

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics the average production of wheat over the five years 1922-26 in Manitoba was 17.5 bushels to the acre, in Saskatchewan, 17.3 bushels to the acre, and in Alberta, 17.2 bushels to the acre. The average values per bushel in the same period were respectively \$1.00, 97c. and 94c., making the respective returns per acre from wheat for the three provinces, \$17.50, \$16.78, and \$16.16.

Women, Your Manifold Duties Require Strength

St. Catharines, Ont.—"During my early married life Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was very helpful to me as a tonic and nerve. I had become all run-down, my nerves were all upset, I could not sleep, and was weak and miserable. I was advised by my mother to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it relieved me of the nervousness and made me a well, strong woman. Since then I have always recommended it to weak women."—Mrs. M. F. Slack, 5 Francis St.

All druggists. Fluid or tablets. Write the Faculty of Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., if you feel the need of free advice. Ever tried Dr. Pierce's Pleasant (Laxative) Pellets? 60 Pellets for 30c.

Fair Maiden: Would you put yourself out for me? Her Knight: Certainly I would. "Please do, then, as it's after 12, and I'm awfully sleepy."

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Of all the present monarchs, Alfonso XIII. of Spain has ruled the longest, his reign beginning in 1902.

The "Flu"

LEFT HER WITH A VERY WEAK HEART

Mrs. Beulah Demone, Pleasant River, N.B., writes:—"Having suffered with the 'flu' a few years ago, I was left with a very weak heart."

"I was unable to go about, and could not do my housework."

"I would get dizzy spells and would have to go and lie down."

"I could not sleep at night as the least little noise would wake me up."

"I tried different kinds of medicine, but they seemed to do me no good."

"A friend recommended

I have used five boxes and am much better; do not get those dizzy spells, and can do my own work as well as ever."

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued

All the women on the second floor had been in to take a look at the pretty young thing with her golden hair spread out on the pillow, and at the radiant baby, who, pink, fat and fine, slept with her two little rosettes of hands rolled into her eyes.

"Her house is thatched—God bless her," said Mrs. Corbett, as she replaced little Jacob's veil on her face. "Poor little helpless mite, who wouldn't be good to her?"

Late that night a sound came through the three auger holes in the storm sash which had a meaning for Helmi. It was the ringing of a train bell as the delayed Canadian Northern train felt its way carefully out of the yards with its heavy load of belated passengers. People may be born or may die, but someone has to run the trains. The North Star Rooming House stood near the tracks, and the sound came distinctly and lonesomely to Helmi's ears. She raised herself on her elbow and listened, her eyes eager and straining.

When the train had gone behind the Great West Garment Factory, and the sound of the bell had grown fainter and fainter and at last was lost in the myriad sounds of the city, Helmi fell back on her pillow sobbing like a dog in a dream. "Home for Christmas! Home for Christmas!" she murmured. "Welcome to Canada—No! No! the snow is best—I will not go to train any more—I will go down deep under snow—snow is best place."

Away below the snow, in another

OPERATION LEFT HER VERY WEAK

Letter Tells of Wonderful Relief After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Coniston, Ontario.—"After a severe operation and a three weeks' stay in a hospital I returned home so weak that I was unable to move a chair. For four months I was almost frantic with pains and suffering until I thought sure there could not be any help for me. I had very severe pains in my left side and suffered agony every month. One day when I was not able to get up my mother begged me to try your medicine. My husband got me a bottle of Vegetable Compound at once and I took it. I started a second bottle, and to my surprise and joy the pains in my side left me completely and I am able to do all my work without help. I am a farmer's wife, so you see I can't be idle long. In all, I have taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, five boxes of the Compound Tablets, two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine, and have also used the Sanative Wash."—Mrs. L. LAJUNESSE, Box 103, Coniston, Ontario.



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Earth's Outer Atmosphere

Consists Of Helium Gas Is Opinion Of Scientist

One hundred miles above the surface of the earth the atmosphere consists almost wholly of helium gas, believes Sir William Napier Shaw, eminent meteorologist.

If this conclusion is right it will never be possible, it is contended, for aircraft to navigate the upper atmosphere.

In a new "manual of meteorology" in which Sir Napier Shaw sets forth his view he deals with many other matters bearing on atmospheric conditions.

He maintains that as the light of auroras has been seen as high as 500 miles above the earth, gases of some kind must exist far out from this globe.

Comparatively low down comes the famous "heavy side" layer in the atmosphere, 30 to 50 miles up. It is this layer which reflects wireless waves and renders wireless signalling possible.

The flat, stale taste which you sometimes find in tea may be due to the package it is put up in. Red Rose Tea is of such fine quality that no chances are taken. It is packed in aluminum, the only material that gives complete protection against dust, dampness and deterioration.

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Eve, when there is no need, and we need not call the inspector either, for he will ask her a lot of questions that will only worry her."

"She has no ring on," said Mrs. Kalinski, sadly; "I am afraid everything is not right."

"She has come from the North," said Mrs. Corbett, "and there's no jewelry stores there—that might account for her havin' no ring. We will say that, anyway."

After Mrs. Kalinski had gone to her own suite, Mrs. Corbett stood at the foot of the bed looking at her patient. Suddenly an idea occurred to her. She went to her rooms across the hall and made a determined search in the middle bureau drawer which was known as the drawer "that has everything in it." Coming back, she lifted Helmi's left hand and put a ring on her finger. "If a little thing like a ring will give the poor girl back her character I will not be denying her mine, that has been too tight for me for many a day, and in case she should die it will say the wee one's good name. I will tell Mrs. Kalinski, for she noticed there was none, but there's none of the rest of them need know. It will save a lot of talk and wondering. Well, there's nothing wrong with the kid, ring or no ring."

Mrs. Corbett took the slumbering infant into her own rooms for the night, at the instigation of her daughter Rose, aged twelve, who offered the young stranger a share of her bed and personal service. On the Winnipeg couch she was placed, with a barricade of pillows in front of her to prevent any one from thoughtlessly sitting on her.

When John Corbett came home and found his family increased he expressed no surprise, nor did he offer comment when the events of the afternoon were related. But he did go to the couch to get a look at the baby, being warned by Rosie not to come too near for fear he would start a draught.

"She's a fine child," he said, and went back to his supper.

"Whether she is an honest woman or not, I do not know," Mrs. Corbett concluded her recital; "but I do know this—she has been treated bad. Ain't men the limit, anyway? To go off and leave a poor girl like that with no more thought or worry about it than a tomcat?"

John Corbett went on buttering his bread on the palm of his hand, and making no attempt to defend his sex.

"Oh, I guess they are all bad, right enough," he said pleasantly. "I often wonder myself why the Lord ever made them. It's a good thing there comes a war every wee while to kill them off—the devils!"

"Shut up, now, John, you sly old dog," said his wife, laughing, "you sure do like to get a rise out of me."

"And me just tryin' to agree with you, woman?" he said.

When Danny Corbett, aged ten, came in from delivering his papers, sheeted with snow, he was not allowed to look at the baby until he had taken off his outer garments and

warmed himself carefully at the fire, and even then he was not allowed by the watchful Rosie to come very near. Danny offered no opinion.

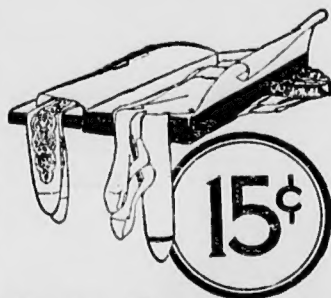
After Danny had eaten his supper, Rosie made a proposition to him. "Sure, Danny, you and me could raise her if her mother dies, and she is not makin' a stir in there now no more than if she was dead. I could mind her, and you with your fine paper route now could get her milk. A bottle would last her a long time, and she would be a lot nicer than a kitten, and not any more trouble. You would get the milk, wouldn't you, Danny, and then we would go cahoots on her?"

(To Be Continued.)

First Woman Ship Broker

Young English Girl Has Qualified For Unusual Position

Although not yet old enough to vote, Miss Mabel Weller, 23, has passed examinations which make her the first woman qualified as a ship broker in England. A ship's broker's duties require the negotiating of cargoes for steamers throughout the world, the bearing of responsibility for discharging of cargoes, the entering into arrangements with captains and crews of all nationalities and the employment of technical knowledge of all classes of ships and markets in the world. Miss Weller began her career in this man-directed field as a clerk in a London ship broker's firm.



Silk Stockings

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Just Dip to TINT, or Boil to DYE

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

BANANA CANOES

- 4 bananas.
- 2 oranges.
- 2 slices pineapple.
- Salad dressing.
- Berries or candied cherries.

With a sharp knife cut a section of skin from the concave curve of the bananas, and carefully take out the fruit, leaving the skin in the shape of a canoe. Pare oranges; remove sections, and cut in pieces; mix with pineapple (cut in pieces) and an equal amount of banana pulp (cut in pieces). Fill canoes with fruit; cover with Mayonnaise or French dressing; sprinkle generously with paprika; lay on bed of shredded lettuce, and garnish with berries or candied cherries.

EGG MILK SHAKE

- 3 cups milk.
 - 3 eggs.
 - 4 teaspoons sugar.
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla.
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt.
 - Few grains nutmeg.
 - Few grains cinnamon.
- Beat the eggs until very light. Add the sugar, salt, vanilla and spices, then the milk. Stir till the sugar is dissolved, then beat well. Serve cold.

The real joy of living consists in making one's own mind a pleasant place to spend one's leisure moments.

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Little Helps For This Week

"In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength."—Isaiah xxx. 15.

I would be quiet, Lord!
Nor tease nor fret:
Not one small need of mine
Wilt Thou forget.

Confidence is the secret of strength.—Monod.

A mind may be still though active; and the quietness which is part of the "confidence" we have in Him, the Christ, is only found in the close abiding in Him, emblemized in His own parable of the Vine and the branches.—Rose Porter.

Alberta Trappers Made Profit

The prairie fur trade of the region from Lethbridge to Medicine Hat continues to net hunters and trappers good results financially, and many buyers from distant points are in the field. Furs trapped and shipped are, badger, kit fox, weasel, rabbit and coyote, and one representative farmer claims to have averaged over the past six or seven weeks \$10 to \$15 per day.

To have the children sound and healthy is the first care of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

The Way To Wealth

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LOCAL & GENERAL

K. R. McLean, R.O., Sight Specialist, 212 Herald Bldg., Calgary, will make his monthly visit to Didsbury on Saturday, April 7th. Office adjoining Dr. Evans. Phone 113, evenings, for appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Guy, old-time residents of Didsbury, were visitors here last Friday. Mrs. William Storey, another one-time resident, accompanied them.

Mr. Frank Honeysett, the popular express agent at the depot, left last Saturday to begin operations on his fruit ranch in the Nelson district of British Columbia. He joins his family at that point and expects to remain there for six or seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Nixon and daughter Gwen returned to Edmonton last Saturday after a two weeks' visit with Dr. and Mrs. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Scrutton have moved into the house during the past week recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Studer, and the latter in turn have taken over the residence formerly occupied by Sid Watt.

The ladies of St. Cyprian's held a very successful pantry sale at the residence last Friday of Mrs. W. Leadbetter, a very satisfactory financial result being obtained.

The teachers of the Community Hall school fair will give a concert on Friday, April 20th, at the Community Hall. A good time is assured.

W. Leadbetter attended the annual convocation of the Royal Arch Chapter at Edmonton last week as a delegate from Didsbury.

W. A. Austin has been appointed a member of the Provincial Council of the Red Cross Society.

In a canvass held recently in town in behalf of the Red Cross the very satisfactory sum of \$81.50 was realized.

On Thursday, March 22nd, Mrs. W. G. Liesemer very kindly placed her residence at the disposal of the local Red Cross, and during the afternoon tea was served to a very large number of ladies, a more substantial repast being served at six o'clock for the men. The event was conspicuously successful, the sum of \$25.55 being taken. The event was as generously conceived as it was satisfactorily carried out, and much credit is due to those who arranged it.

The trustees of the Didsbury School District has asked the town for \$15,000 to help them carry on for the year 1928. This is an increase of \$2500 over the 1927 estimate.

BIRTH—To Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Klein, of Didsbury, a daughter, March 20th, at the Olds General hospital.

The Boy Scouts of Innisfail last week found 75 golf balls on the golf course there.—The Province.

Another hailstorm, probably.

The Red Deer council have accepted an offer of the Calgary Power Co. to supply their town with juice.

A gang of workmen is busily engaged in moulding into shape electric light poles prior to having them erected for the Calgary Power Company's hydro line. The workmen all along the line are keeping up to schedule, and if no time is lost, early September should see its completion, as predicted by the company.—Olds Gazette.

The Women's Institute will hold a meeting at Mrs R. Barrett's on Friday 13th, at 2.30 p.m. An interesting program will follow.

Shipping to the Annual Bull Sale at Calgary last week, Hughes Bros. sent seven Hereford bulls while George Burns sent two Red Polls and Meredith and McFarlane and J. Boulton each sent two Hereford bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Rodney, left for Portland, Wash. last week. They are said to be staying there indefinitely.

Mr. Robert Brown was threshing last week, using August Krebb's threshing outfit.

Mr. Frank Byrt, of Elkton, took advantage of the fine weather last week and did some threshing on the remainder of his Ruby crop.

Mr. Hanlon Walsh is the proud owner of a new Chevrolet sedan, bought from the Adshead Garage last Friday.

Representing King Hiram Lodge Messrs. McDougall, Brusso, Evans and Clemens attended the funeral of S. Y. Taylor, Grand Secretary of the Masonic Lodge of Alberta, held in Calgary last Saturday.

The Old-Tyme Dance held last Friday night under the auspices of the ladies of the Rebekah Lodge went over big with the large crowd present for everybody left reporting a really good time.

The Rebekahs met on the evening of March 22nd in the Odd-fellow's Hall to do honor to Miss Margaret A. Towers who is soon to be married. The early part of the evening was spent in games and community singing. For the edification of the bride-to-be a very solemn wedding ceremony was

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GOOD USED CARS

performed by Miss Marguerite Johnston in irreproachable clerical garb. The couple she united in the holy bonds were Mrs. Fisher as the blushing bride and Miss Vera Sexsmith as the manly groom. At various times the minister found it necessary to fortify himself and the groom with chewing gum.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the participants marched stately out, and after a short lapse of time the bride and groom re-entered wheeling a baby carriage. This contained many useful and beautiful gifts which they presented to Miss Towers. After the guest of honor had opened these and thanked the donors, all present sat down to a most enjoyable supper which had been very artistically prepared.—Contributed

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church are holding an Easter Bazaar in the Opera House, Satur-

day, April 7th, from 2.30 to 6 p.m. Flowers, homecooking, afternoon tea, etc. Donations are invited.

Mrs. Nellie McClung of Calgary was greeted by a capacity audience in the Opera House, Didsbury, on Monday night. The Women's Institute are to be congratulated in the matter of bringing this distinguished speaker here. The subject, "The Romance of Life," was one that made a wide appeal. Mrs. McClung spoke of the romance of youth, the romance of age, the romance of the commonplace, and the romance of childhood.

A musical program consisting of a piano solo by Miss Una Weber, a vocal solo by Miss Sangstadt accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Miller, and two orchestra numbers was much appreciated. The orchestra consisted of Mr. Ed Weber, Miss Una Weber, George Schade, and Russell Berscht.

Burnside.

Mrs. Matt Brandon of Hamiota, Manitoba, and two children are spending a month with her sister, Mrs. Bert Pross en route to the coast to make their home. Mr. Brandon spent a couple of days here before leaving for Vancouver last Monday.

Mr. H. Metz has returned from a three-month holiday with friends in Ontario.

The last whist drive of the season was held in the Lone Pine Hall last Friday night. Mrs. N. Eckel and Clarence Gale took the first prizes with Miss Helen Pross and Dave Jenkins carrying off the consolations.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mardon attended the graduating exercises at Olds Agricultural School last Friday when their son Charles received his diploma.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Woods are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a son in the Didsbury Hospital on March 30th.

Al Thompson of the Elliott's ranch has been off duty with a bad attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Jack Boulton is attending the Fat Stock Show in Calgary, exhibiting two fine Herefords.

Mr. Barney Wood's and family, Mr. V. Torp and Ralph Lang spent Sunday at Joe Clark's.

The Lone Pine W.L. will meet in the Hall on Thursday, April 12. Roll call to be answered by "My favourite potato recipe." Mrs. Mardon will speak on "Immigration."

Mr. Fred Metz is attending the

Fat Stock Show in Calgary this week.

A U.F.A. meeting will be held on Monday evening, April 9th.

Mrs. Bert Pross and her sister Mrs. Brandon spent Sunday with Mr. Albert Spraggs and family.

Mr. Dave Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts and family spent Sunday with the former's father, Mr. Enoch Hughes.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Gordon Towle desires to thank all kind neighbours and friends for kindness manifested during her recent and bereavement and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Card of Thanks.

I take this means of thanking the Rugby Women's Institute for the beautiful bouquet which I received while in the Holy Cross Hospital, also to those friends who so kindly called upon me.

Mrs. John Weidner

GOOD FRIDAY IN DIDSBURY.

Divine service will be held at St. Cyprian's Church, Didsbury, on Good Friday, at eight o'clock p.m. A very cordial invitation is extended to all to be present at this service.

On Easter Sunday at St. Cyprian's a celebration of Holy Communion will be observed at twelve noon.

Tomorrow (Good Friday) will be observed as a general holiday, and all stores consequently will be closed. Householders should provide accordingly.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted

Fresh milk cows. Springers. Kendrick & Good. Phone 37.

For Sale

Pure-bred White Leghorn setting eggs, also few Cockerels—Mrs. C. F. Dooley, phone 64

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For Sale

Purebred white Wyandotte baby chicks from good laying strain and from R.O.P. stock also custom hatching bone. Prices reasonable. Hatching eggs, 75c per setting, \$1.50 per hundred. Mrs. C. D. Casey, Phone R706, Carstairs.

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Hatching eggs. Single comb White Leghorns. Cockerels used are of famous "Young" strain, and hens are from one of the best B.C. Flocks. Setting of 15, \$1.25. J. A. McGhee. 4-5

Wanted

500 Bottles, 1 quart or larger. Must be clean. W. G. Liesemer

For Sale

For sale or rent. 8 room house garage, chicken house, stable for one cow, 5 acres of rich land divided into 3 fields, 2 acres in pasture. Would make ideal chicken ranch or truck farm, plenty of good water, situated half mile from Didsbury P.O. J. C. Stevens, Box 36, Phone 138.

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On south trail, 6 miles east of Didsbury, mackinaw coat. Owner can have same by paying for ad. Haulon Walsh, Phone 1315.

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Young girl for housework. P. O. Box 356 or phone 87.

For Sale

Harley-Davidson motor cycle and sidecar in good running order. Cheap for cash—Phone R808

For Sale

Great Eliza seed oats, test 96 per cent. Cleaned. 60c per bushel. Noah Eckel, Phone 405.

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Alfredson Angus registered bull, coming two. Also want to buy young bull of same breed. Noah Eckel, phone 1405

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"They can't stop me from going to Heaven," said Mrs. Margaret Gould, of Liverpool, when told she would have to undergo an operation, and then she took a fatal dose of poison.

On Wednesday, April 11th, at three o'clock, a meeting of extraordinary appeal will be held at the home of Mrs. Reitzel, at which Mrs. Gordon Wright of Toronto Dominion president of the W.C.T.U. will give an address.

Owing to earlier publication this week on account of Friday being a public holiday, other local news is held over.

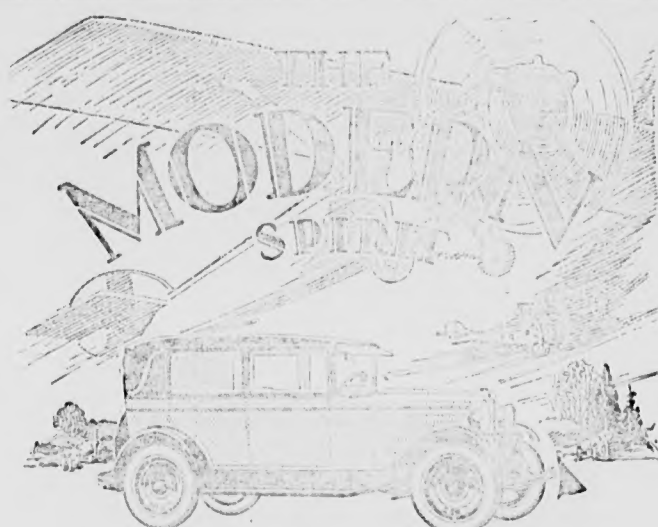
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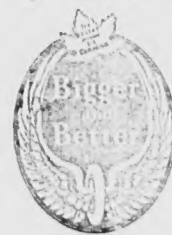
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This is a vast improvement on the old style harness, because of the protection to the parts by METAL TO METAL HARDWARE, where the wear comes on the leather. We hope you will give us the opportunity of serving you a set or two of this Extra Good Value in Harness, or at least allow us to show it to you before you decide on the style of harness offered by others. I handle this harness Exclusively in Didsbury district. NONE BETTER AT THE PRICE.

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Protect Our Forest Resources

Among the varied natural resources which go to make up Canada's enormous potential wealth, the forests occupy a most important place. As is now generally known, Canada has within recent years moved into first place among the nations of the world in the production of paper, having passed the United States which up to a few years ago was the world's largest producer. The great development of water powers, now so marked a feature of Canada's industrial progress, has been largely brought about because of the growth of the pulp and paper industry. This water power development is, however, vitally affecting the whole life of the Dominion.

Apart from the pulp and paper industry, the forests have an influence, and play a direct part upon practically every department of Canada's national life whether it be the social, economic, financial, agricultural or industrial. It is of the utmost importance, therefore, that the forests of Canada be protected and conserved.

In full realization of this fact, the Dominion Government has by royal proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor-General, set apart the week of April 22 to 28 as "Canadian Forest Week." Statements contained in this royal proclamation may serve to bring home to Canadians the effect and value of forests in ways to which they have given little thought. In this proclamation the following facts are emphasized:

1. Our national income depends on our forest industries more than on any other source except agriculture.
2. Our forest industries depend on the timber crops now standing ripe in the forest, and their very existence is jeopardized by any preventable wastage of these supplies. The future of the forest industries depends on the young growth and immature timber of today, and the prosperity of these industries will be in direct proportion to the care and protection afforded this growing timber.
3. Our water-powers depend upon the stability of stream flow throughout the year, the equilibrium of which is disturbed by denudation of the forest cover in the drainage basins, resulting in alternate periods of floods and low water.
4. Our irrigation works demand protection—forests are the fountain-head of irrigation.
5. Our agricultural lands depend on distant watersheds for the maintenance of subsoil moisture during the growing period, and are robbed of productivity by wasteful run-off which occurs when the forests are destroyed.
6. Our game and fur-bearing animals depend on the forest for their natural protection, and decrease in numbers or retreat to more remote regions as the forest cover disappears.
7. Our tourist traffic depends in a great measure on scenic and other attractions offered in such abundance by the forest and would be seriously affected if verdant woodlands be transformed into desolate wastes.

This enormously valuable asset to any country—and Canada is among the wealthiest in forest resources among the nations of the world—is threatened by two dangers both of which are man-caused and therefore preventable.—(1) Almost universal carelessness with fire in the forest, resulting in the destruction, not only of timber and young growth, but of the very soil which produces it, and (2) the use of wasteful and destructive cutting methods without any thought of ensuring a new crop.

It is in recognition of all these facts that during "Canadian Forest Week," April 22 to 28, which is also the beginning of another season of travel and recreation in the forest with attendant fire danger, the people of Canada are officially urged to resolve for another year to recognize the situation as set out in this royal proclamation and to give careful heed to the information issued by the several forest authorities and agencies in Canada to the end that all may be encouraged to a sustained and patriotic effort in promoting the conservation of this valuable resource.

Millions For Publicity

National Advertisers Spent \$225,000,000 in Newspaper Advertising

National advertisers spent \$225,000,000 for newspaper advertising in 1927, the bureau of advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association has announced.

Estimates showed that 353 companies had expended \$122,500,000, of which the greatest sum, \$33,505,000, was spent by 57 automobile concerns. Eighty-two food advertisers spent \$21,045,000, and 14 tobacco companies spent \$15,280,000.



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Takes Out Many Patents

New Jersey Boy One Of Youngest Inventors

Fred T. Roberts, Jr., is one of the youngest inventors in the United States. At the age of ten he made his first invention and now, twelve years old, he has taken out seven patents.

His latest device, soon to be placed on the market, is a tool for raising automobiles without putting the jack under the axle. He thought of the idea while changing a tire, which had settled in the mud, for his mother.

A clip, placed over the spring, has an opening into which fits a bar 19 inches long. The jack may be placed anywhere under the bar.

A TIRED FEELING IN SPRINGTIME

Not Sick, But Not Up To the Mark—You Need the Help Of That Sterling Tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—They Give New Vitality.

With the passing of winter many people feel weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks the vital force and energy pure blood alone can give. In a word, while not exactly sick, the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon them. A blood-building, nerve-restoring tonic is needed to give renewed health and energy. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an all-year-round blood builder and nerve tonic, but are especially useful in the spring. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, and with this new blood returning strength, cheerfulness and good health quickly follow.

If you are pale, easily tired, or breathless at the least exertion, if your complexion is poor or you are troubled with pimples or eruptions, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just what you need to put you right. If you have twinges of rheumatism, are subject to headaches and backaches, if you are irritable and nervous, if your sleep does not refresh you, or your appetite is poor, you need the treatment Dr. Williams' Pink Pills alone can give—you need the new blood, new strength and new energy this medicine always brings. Mr. A. Marcotte, North Ham, Que., writes:—"I have found great benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I began using them I was in a badly rundown condition, and at times felt scarcely able to work. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have changed all this and since taking them I am enjoying the best of health. Every man who feels rundown and easily tired should give this great medicine a fair trial."

Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for anemia, rheumatism, neuralgia, indigestion or nervousness. Take them as a tonic if you are not in the best physical condition and cultivate a resistance that will keep you well and strong. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50c, a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

New Settlers Making Good

Alberta Board Reports Payments Met By Large Number

Sixty-five per cent. of the settlers on land under the Calgary District of the Land Settlement Branch have already met their payments thus far in the year which ends June 30, 1928, according to W. S. Woods, superintendent of the Board in Calgary. More than \$513,000 has been collected, out of \$765,000 due, and the board has security upon wheat pool assignments yet to be realized upon covering deferred payments on more than 200,000 bushels of wheat. This is regarded by officials of the board as a particularly good showing.

The worms that infest children from their birth are of two kinds, those that find lodgement in the stomach and those that are found in the intestines. The latter are the most destructive, as they cling to the walls of the intestines and if not interfered with work havoc there. Miller's Worm Powders dislodge both kinds and while expelling them from the system serve to repair the damage they have caused.

School For Immigrants

The Saskatchewan Government has a community school scheme to provide adult immigrants from Europe with a thorough knowledge of the language, history, ideals, and agricultural methods of Canada.

Holloway's Corn Remover takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

It takes about half a minute on the average for a drop of blood to complete its trip through the body from the time it leaves the heart until the time it gets back.

Minard's Liniment for Backache.

W. N. U. 1727

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Official British attempts will be made this year on the four principal world air records, speed, height, duration, and long distance non-stop.

The Government will organize the Federal Rural Credits Board within the next two months, according to officials of the Department of Finance at Ottawa.

Lost on the windswept wastes of a fifty-mile portage between the Klukwim and Yukon Rivers, southwest of Holy Cross, Alaska, two women were guided to safety by the lead dog of their team of huskies.

Astronomical circles are deeply interested by the discovery that the star, Nova Pictoris, first discovered in South Africa in 1925, has split in two. Developments are being closely studied by astronomers.

The collapse of the St. Francis dam in Los Angeles county, March 13, was due to defective foundations, it was asserted in the report of the governor's committee investigating the disaster.

Trans-Jordan, the Western part of Palestine, was recognized as an independent government in the new agreement between Trans-Jordan and Great Britain made public at Jerusalem.

Funeral services of the utmost simplicity were held for Mrs. Charlotte Pickford, mother of Mary Pickford. At the request of the motion picture actress, only intimate friends and relatives attended.

There was a moderate gain in employment at the beginning of March, according to the monthly statements furnished to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics by 6,222 of the larger employers of labor throughout Canada.

The battle flag and king's colors as well as the regimental colors of the 54th Kootenay Battalion, destroyed when St. Saviour's Church burned at Nelson, will be replaced by flags made at Vancouver. The replacement cost will be about \$400.

Four Great War Figures

The premier of Britain when the great war broke out, the British commander-in-chief on the main front, the German ambassador to Britain in August, 1914, and Marshal Diaz, Italian commander-in-chief in the war—all died within a few weeks.

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ONTARIO BOARD WILL HANDLE ALBERTA COAL

Toronto.—The office of fuel controller, established during the war, has assumed a new importance in view of the Dominion government's action in requiring the railways to transport Alberta coal to Ontario. Premier Ferguson stated in the legislature in connection with the voting of an item for the fuel controller's office. A board was being set up to look after the handling of the coal and the Ontario representative would be the fuel controller.

It would be the duty of the board to see that the proper type of coal was brought east, Mr. Ferguson said. He suggested that in his opinion the railways should not be allowed to transport any coal not approved by the board.

Asked how the coal was to be distributed, the premier said: "I hope that we will have an organization created. I would like to see the Alberta government establish an office here, which would serve as a distributing centre and an information bureau. Persons wishing to buy the coal could arrange for it through such an office." It was not the intention of the government to take charge of distribution, he said, as had been done with the trial shipments.

Ottawa.—"Those engaged in coal operations in British Columbia have not made representations as to getting into the eastern market," was the answer given by the Government to a question asked by A. W. Neill (Independent, Comox-Alberni), as to whether or not the Government would extend the test movement rate on Alberta coal to coal from British Columbia with a pro rata increase for the extra distance.

For Promotion Of Peace

Miss McPhail's Motion For Creation Of Peace Department Is Withdrawn

Ottawa.—After a lengthy debate in the House, Miss Agnes McPhail withdrew her motion for the creation of a department for the promotion of peace. Miss McPhail expressed the hope that between now and next session the government would set up some agency to tell what was being done for the promotion of peace.

Miss MacPhail said: "While we have a superiority complex which nothing can puncture, there will always be danger of war. It can't be true that we can always be right."

Women, she said, were keenly aware of war. They placed a higher value on human life because they suffered so much for it and for this reason they should have a voice in Parliament. The sacrifices of 1914 to 1918 should be crystallized into something which should prevent the recurrence of war.

Sir George Perley (Conservative, Argenteuil), said the League of Nations had performed commendable work in preventing wars and solving labor, health and other social problems. But something should be done in the way of bringing to the direct attention of the people of all countries the object and benefits of the League. In Canada the League of Nations Society with headquarters at Ottawa might be profitably utilized for educational purposes of this nature.

Officially Withdraws From Public Life

Lindbergh Weary Of Admiration Prefers Role Of Normal Citizen

Washington.—Acclaimed as no other individual in the history of the nation, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has officially withdrawn himself from public focus to follow his long cherished pursuit of a normal citizen.

Weary of the admiring masses, decoration ceremonies and the constant formal affairs in his honor, the youth calmly contemplated the future and how best he might acquit himself in the interest of his lone hobby. "Lindy" doesn't know what he's going to do just yet.

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Apply For Railway Charters

3,233 Miles Of Railway In Canada Involved In Applications

Ottawa.—Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, informed the railway committee of the House of Commons that charters for 3,233 miles of railway in Canada were being applied for by companies other than the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific Railways. The cost of this mileage he estimated at about \$173,000,000.

In addition, there were applications before the provincial legislatures which brought the total mileage up to approximately 4,400, with an estimated cost of \$242,000,000. This did not include equipment and when it was supplied the total cost would approximate \$300,000,000.

The minister told the committee it was not possible at present to lay down the principle that no more charters were to be granted to companies other than the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific Railways.

On the other hand, the Government was of the opinion that with the exception of railways, which were required for the development of mining properties or something of that nature, the two great railway companies could take care of the work. The committee would of course, give consideration to the applications which came before it.

At the opening of the meeting F. S. Cahill, Liberal member for Pontiac, was again elected chairman of the railway committee, and Dr. A. M. Young, Liberal, Saskatoon, deputy chairman.

The first bill considered was that of H. A. Stewart, Conservative member for Leeds, designed to place the issuing of licenses for the export of electric power under the control of parliament rather than with the governor-in-council. This bill was reported.

Two bills covering construction of railways in Western Canada were considered next. The first, sponsored by G. G. Coote, U.F.A. member for Macleod, asked for a charter for construction of the Highwood Western Railway Company. The second applied for an extension of time for the construction of the Calgary and Fernie Railway Company. It was introduced by F. W. Gershaw, Liberal, Medicine Hat.

U.S. Wants Canadian Students

Because Educational System Is As Thorough Says English Editor

Hamilton, Ont.—People know little of Canada if they do not know that it is a land of cold winters, cool heads and warm hearts, John Walter, co-proprietor of the Times, London, Eng., told a large gathering here when he spoke at a Canadian club luncheon.

Referring to the exodus of Canadian students to the United States, Mr. Walter said the Canadian educational system is so thorough that United States institutions seek their services.

H.B. Railway Construction

Work Will Commence In Earnest As Soon As Snow Goes

Winnipeg.—Work on the Hudson's Bay Railway will commence in earnest as soon as the snow goes, according to Donald Grant, superintendent of construction for the Stewart Cameron Company, which has the contract for the remaining 154 miles yet to be built. Mr. Grant said there were from 200 to 300 men on the job at present and that in another month a great many more would be sent out. By the end of May, Mr. Grant expects there will be at least 1,200 on the job.

Have Withdrawn From Council

Winnipeg.—The United Grain Growers, Limited, and the Grain Growers' Guide, two commercial organizations identified with the Canadian Council of Agriculture for a number of years, have withdrawn from membership in the council, it was officially announced here.

Red Cross Official Dead

Basle, Switzerland.—Dr. Bohny, president of the International League of Red Cross Societies, is dead here. During the war he was in charge of arrangement for exchange and transport in Switzerland of the wounded prisoners of all armies.

NOTED ARCTIC EXPLORER



Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, who is trying to prove men can "live off the land" in the north by strict meat diet for a month. He claims his all meat diet will not bring on scurvy as is generally believed.

Propose General Smuts For Defence Minister

Former South African Premier Suggested For British Post

London.—The striking suggestion that General Jan Christian Smuts, former premier of South Africa, and present leader of the opposition in the South African parliament, should be appointed to fill the post of Minister of Defence in the British Government if the Liberal proposal for the combining of the three fighting forces, land, sea, and air, should be carried into effect, was made in the House of Commons by Commander C. Bellairs, Conservative member for Maidstone. Commander Bellairs based his suggestion on the fact that General Smuts was not only an eminent statesman, but a great soldier.

"If we could only bring Gen. Smuts home he would make a very good Minister of Defence," the Commander said, "but he would have to be free of the trammels of being elected to parliament here."

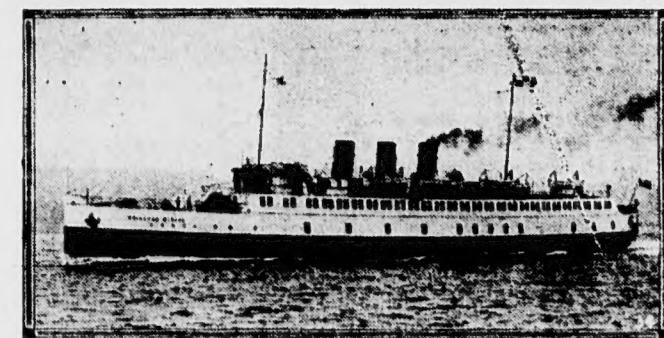
Hockey Titles Come West

Both Senior and Junior Amateur Trophies Annexed By Prairies

Ottawa.—The West climaxed its challenge for supremacy of the Dominion's amateur hockey circles when Manitoba University trimmed Montreal Victorias 1-0 here to lift the Allan Cup and carry it westward to keep the O.H.A. Memorial trophy, emblematic of the junior hockey title, company in its new home. Regina Monarchs won the O.H.A. trophy when they beat the Ottawa Gunners, and the victory for the Varsity made a clean sweep of the titular boards. The Allan Cup carries with it the all-Canada senior championship.

B.C. Eggs Shipped To New Zealand

Auckland, N.Z.—The arrival of 10,500 dozen British Columbia eggs on the Canadian-Australian liner Aorangi has caused a drop of between 2 and 4 cents a dozen in the price of eggs at Auckland. The eggs landed in splendid condition and they proved an unpleasant surprise for local producers.



Will Serve Vancouver Island

"The Princess Elaine," newest member of the Canadian Pacific Railway's Royal Family of steamships, now on her way to Victoria, V.I., via the Panama Canal, from the shipyards on the Clyde, Scotland. The vessel will be used for service between Vancouver on the mainland and Nanaimo on Vancouver Island across the Straits of Georgia, a distance of 40 miles, and is further qualified to ply between Seattle on the south and Skagway on the north. She will have a speed of 18 knots, is 2,000 tons gross register, will have accommodation for about 1,200 passengers, and is specially designed for the transportation of automobiles, a turntable being installed to reverse cars for disembarkation. On her trial runs on the Clyde the Princess Elaine did over 19 knots.

Success Attends Spring Threshing

Alberta Wheat Grading Higher and Bringing a Better Price Than Last Fall

Montreal.—"Snowed-up spring wheat now being cut and threshed is grading higher and bringing a better price than that cut at the regular season last autumn. At least that applies to a number of farms in Alberta, notably a large 13,000-acre farm near Calgary, upon which only part of the crop could be cut last year," according to T. O. F. Herzer, manager of the Canada Colonization Association, Winnipeg.

"This goes to show that fortune sometimes smiles at the most unexpected times," he said, "for, in this case, instead of suffering a small or a large loss, the crop actually yielded an increase."

Mr. Herzer said that many of the farmers placed by the association were paying off their farms long before their 15-year terms were up.

Since the association was taken over by the Canadian Pacific Railway, under its department of colonization and development, in January, 1925, it had placed 2,433 families of about 13,380 members on the land in Western Canada. This year to March 20, 81 families have been settled on 17,771 acres.

Taking Risk On Dirigible

Lloyds Will Protect R-100 On Flight Across Atlantic

London.—A syndicate of underwriters at Lloyds is understood to have undertaken the risk of insuring the British dirigible passenger liner R-100 for its forthcoming flight across the Atlantic.

The rate, about 20 guineas per hundred, is looked upon as moderate, indicating the confidence of the syndicate in the ship's ability to make the flight successfully.

If the ship comes down at sea and is damaged, the underwriters will pay the cost of repairs, while if she is lost altogether they will pay to the limit of the insurance.

The dirigible, which is expected to make its first flight this spring, is equipped with six 700 horsepower engines, can reach a speed of 80 miles an hour, and has a cruising range of more than 5,000 miles.

It is designed to accommodate 100 passengers and to carry 10 tons of mail.

Experiment With Fertilizer

Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba View Shipments Of Superphosphates From Trail Smelter

Winnipeg.—Manitoba is participating in experiments that are being made with the use of superphosphates from the Trail smelter in British Columbia, as a fertilizer. J. H. Evans, deputy minister of agriculture, stated recently when commenting on reports that six cars of the by-product had been shipped to points on the prairies.

The results of the experiments are being watched with great interest.

Saskatchewan and Alberta have also got their share of the shipments, the idea being to make tests of the fertilizer over as wide a range of territory as possible, Mr. Evans said.

CANADA AND U.S. JOIN TO FIGHT RUST MENACE

Fargo, N.D.—Representatives of four Northwest spring wheat states, North and South Dakota, Minnesota, and Montana, and three Canadian prairie provinces, Manitoba, Alberta, and Saskatchewan, formally launched an organization here to further the development of better quality wheat that is rust resistant and immune from stains.

The group, which is to be known as the hard spring wheat conference, named Dr. John Lee Coulter, president of the North Dakota Agriculture College, as president. Prof. Andrew Bosh, University of Minnesota Farm School, was chosen vice-president, and L. R. Waldron, agronomist, at the North Dakota Agricultural School, secretary.

The conference voted to request the Federal Government to furnish \$85,000 to carry on its work. This sum would be supplemented by financial support from the various state and other agencies.

A program committee was chosen to consist of three men from each of the four Northwest States, three from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, one consulting member from each of the provinces and a member representing the Dominion of Canada.

Following are the Canadian representatives:

Manitoba: W. T. G. Weiner, Winnipeg.

Saskatchewan: Dr. J. S. Harrington, Saskatoon.

Alberta: Dr. Robert Newton, Edmonton.

Dr. C. H. Goulden, Winnipeg, will represent the Dominion of Canada.

Discuss Activities Of Communists In Canada

Country Being Flooded With Red Literature Senate Is Told

Ottawa.—The Senate recently discussed the dangers of Communistic propaganda in Canada and heard an address delivered at length by Senator C. P. Beaubien, who enquired what measures were being taken by the Government to repress the evil. Various religious bodies had petitioned the Government to close Communist schools; the Ukrainians in Canada fell easy prey to the Red agents.

There were 40 such schools in the country, attended by 2,000 children, said Senator Beaubien, while Labor Temples were also used for Communist meetings. Immigrants were taken there to listen to these doctrines. The country was being flooded with Communist literature.

Senator Gresback declared that the Communist was the enemy of the Socialist and the Labor man. He assured the Senate that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police knew of these activities and kept the Government informed.

Senator Dandurand affirmed that the Government was watching the Communist movement closely. Senator McMeans declared that the Government for two sessions had sought to amend the law to prevent the deportation of anyone. It was the Government's duty to deport the enemies of the constitution.

Not Feasible For Canada

U.S. Bank System Impossible In Dominion Says Governor Harding

Ottawa.—A federal banking reserve system, organized on the same basis and along the same lines as the U.S. system, would be almost impossible in Canada.

This was the opinion expressed by Governor W. G. P. Hardin, of the Federal Reserve Bank, Boston, before the banking and commerce committee of the House considering a possible improvement in Canada's banking system.

The Federal reserve board of the United States was in no sense a bank, Governor Harding told the committee. "It cannot loan anybody five cents," he declared. "It exercises a general supervision of the twelve Federal Reserve Banks in operation. It can fix the character of the security which may be accepted but cannot compel a bank to make a loan."

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MEETING PROVINCIAL HAIL BOARD.

Zone System to Be Continued in Preference to Flat Rate—A \$2 Commission per Policy Also in Force
The annual meeting of the Provincial Hail Board was held in Calgary recently.

The suggestion made by Fred Davis ex-M.P. for East Calgary that the directors of the Hail Insurance Board cancel the present zone system and adopt a flat rate assessment throughout the province, was turned down very emphatically. Mr. Davis, as a matter of fact, was the only one who voted for the motion after a very full statement had been made by A. H. Tovell, the manager of the Board.

"The suggestion is entirely ridiculous," remarked one delegate. "One might just as well ask that there be only one grade of wheat."

The zoning system, Mr. Tovell explained, put the board in a position to compete successfully with line insurance companies. He showed how the board would lose its entire business in some districts if a flat rate for the whole province were instituted. The line companies under the old arrangement had picked out the best districts where there was the least hail risk.

The Hail Insurance Board had to meet that competition, and the only method was by the zone system.

Mr. Davis was equally unsuccessful in introducing another resolution that the directors of the Hail Board cancel their policy in paying secretaries of municipalities a commission of \$2 for each policy and not to pay municipalities a commission on collection of hail taxes. Mr. Tovell said that the line companies in the province had paid their local and general agents \$646,000 last year. The total expenses of the Hail Insurance Board, not merely for the cost of obtaining insurance nor the commission for the collection of taxes but for taking care of all claim adjustments, salaries and all other expenses, with the exception of claims, were such that \$646,000 would pay them all for six and one-half years.

The resolution was lost by practically an unanimous vote. A resolution that the appointment of hail adjusters be left to each municipal council did not succeed in finding a seconder, while a recommendation that the basis of representation of delegates at the annual meeting was overwhelmingly defeated.

Last year was a particularly bad one in Alberta for hail storms.

Speaking before the U.F.A., Mr. A. H. Tovell, manager of the Municipal Hail Board, stated:

"Up to the beginning of 1927 this Province had the unenviable reputation of having the highest average hail loss ratio of any province or state in North America with the exception of two or three counties in the State of Colorado. We now have even them trimmed.

This year we wrote insurance in 138 municipal districts and we paid claims in 112 of them. I am not going to enumerate or give you the numbers of the district where only one storm occurred, not two or three or four or five or even six, they are too common; but six municipal districts had eight storms, two municipal districts had nine storms and one municipal district had the distinction of having ten storms.

"At this time the board met to set the rates I had to report to them that we had 10,407 applicants over 5,000 claims that we had 1,551,000 acres insured and had paid claims on 608,638 acres, and that on a risk of \$14,772,000 the loss was over \$2,000,000—approximately 17 per cent of the risk. When I tell you that over a term of years the hail loss ratio in the Province of Manitoba is about 2 per cent, in the

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RECALLING THE PAST

25 YEARS

N. Steckle departed for Edmonton on Wednesday. He expects to make that point his future home.

Mr. Moyle shipped in a couple of hundred horses from the south which were unloaded at Carstairs.

The Boehmer Block is nearing completion and will soon be ready for occupation.

15 YEARS

Two rinks of curlers played a game with two rinks from Olds on Monday night on the local ice. Studer's rink played Roxburgh, score 8-10, and Brusso's rink played Brewer, score 11-12, both in favor of the men from Olds.

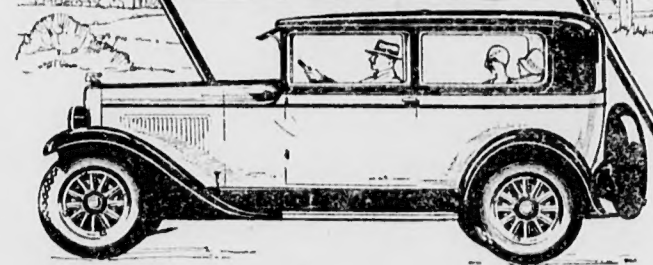
Protests are heard in Spain against the encroachments of American billboards.

DEATH OF MRS. WIGGINS

Following an illness of a long duration, Eliza Henrietta Wiggins, the beloved wife of the Rev. M. E. Wiggins, formerly pastor at the Westerdale church but now of Halkirk, passed away in her 60th year at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Orvin Swingle at Westerdale, on Tuesday at 5 a.m., March 27th. Everything possible had been done in an effort to restore her to good health. Removal to low altitudes had failed to effect a cure, and it is only recently that Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins returned to Alberta from the Pacific coast, the latter requesting that she be taken to her daughter's home at Westerdale. The deceased is survived by her husband and two daughters, viz., Mrs. O. Swingle and Miss Marion Wiggins.

The remains were brought to Olds on Tuesday afternoon, and the funeral was held in the United church at Olds on Wednesday, March 28th, at 2 p.m. Further particulars of the funeral, at which several ministers of the United Church of Canada took part, will be published next week.—Olds Gazette.

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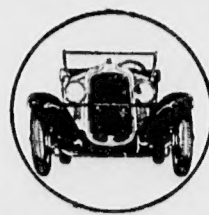
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